

**AMENDMENTS TO THE SPECIFICATION:**

Please amend the specification as follows:

Please amend the paragraph beginning on page 11, line 2 as follows:

Figure 2a schematically ~~illustrates~~illustrate a hybrid device and person based Authorized Domain (AD) according to the present invention. Shown is an Authorized Domain (AD) corresponding to the one shown in Figure 1 with exceptions as explained in the following. Instead of linking authorized devices of the domain directly to the domain identifier (Domain\_ID) (101), as in Figure 1, devices are now linked to persons, or more specification, each device is linked to a person ~~(could it generally be persons??, i.e., more than one person has ownership over a single device)~~ that has ownership over the particular device. In the shown embodiment, each device is linked only to a single person, whereby the ownership of the device is easily reflected. Alternatively, each device may be linked to more than one person.